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Do You Open Your Mouth

Like a young bird and gulp down whatever food or medicine may be offered you? Or, do you want to know something of the composition and character of that which you take into your stomach whether as food or medicine?

Most intelligent and sensible people now-a-days insist on knowing what they employ whether as food or as medicine. Dr. Pierce believes they have a perfect right to *insist* upon such knowledge. So he publishes broadcast and on each bottle-wrapper, what his medicines are made of and verifies its under oath. This he feels he can well afford to do because the more the ingredients of which his medicines are made are studied and understood the more will their superior curative virtues be appreciated.

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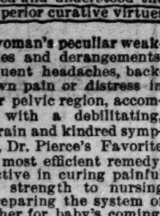

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[Entered at the Postoffice of Alexandria, Virginia, as second-class matter.]

HOUSE DESTROYED.

By an explosion of dynamite in the house of Benjamin Shipley, ten miles west of Bristol, Va., yesterday, four persons were killed and one fatally injured.

The dead are: Mrs. Nathaniel Barnes, Mrs. Elijah Moody and her infant child and William Duff, the sixteen-year-old son of John Duff, who is directly responsible for the accident.

A son of Mrs. Moody was so badly injured that he cannot recover. The house took fire after the explosion and was burned.

It had already been wrecked by the force of the concussion. The bodies of the dead were cremated in the ruins. The injured boy managed to crawl from under the debris.

The dynamite was carried to the house by the Duff boy, who procured it from a near-by railroad camp He was handling the dangerous stuff when the explosion occurred. The house was shaken to its foundation by the force of the explosion. The roof was blown off, and the outer walls caved in.

FIGHT WITH NEGROES.

A dispatch from Columbus, Miss., says an outbreak of racial animosity occurred in Pickens county, Ala., Tuesday night, as the result of an attack made on Constable Will Lowe by a gang of fifty negroes, who sought to secure the release of a negro prisoner which the officer had in charge.

Constable Lowe was seriously wounded in the fight with the blacks, and his prisoner was killed by bullets fired by his own friends. Nineteen negroes are in jail.

The trouble happened near Gordo, Ala. Constable Lowe had placed the negro under arrest near the town and was taking him to the lock-up. While on the road he was met by the crowd of blacks, which was headed by James Lowe, a brother of the prisoner. The negroes began shooting as soon as they saw the officer. A number of shots were fired, and both officer and prisoner fell, one seriously wounded and the other dead.

The negroes then made off for the woods.

When to Go Home.

From the Bluffton, Ind., Banner. "When tired out, go home. When you want consolation, go home. When you want fun, go home. When you want to show others that you have reformed, go home and let your family get acquainted with the fact. When you want to show yourself at your best go home and do the act there. When you feel like being extra liberal go home and practice on your wife and children first. When you want to shine with extra brilliancy go home and light up the household." To which we would add, when you have a bad cold go home and take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and a quick cure is certain. For sale by Richard Gibson and W. F. Creighton & Co.

Here's Good Advice.

O. S. Woolever, one of the best known merchants of Le Raysville, N. Y., says: "If you are ever troubled with piles, apply Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It cured me of them for good 20 years ago." Guaranteed for sores, wounds, burns or abrasions, 25c at all drug store.

RYAN BANK DICTATOR.

Testimony taken in New York Monday before Matthew C. Fleming, special commissioner appointed by Governor Hughes to investigate Otto Kelsey's management of the State Insurance Department, brought to light yesterday an amazing bit of financiering on the part of Thomas F. Ryan. By clever manipulation of stocks he purchased, he has made himself virtual director of the manner in which funds may be used by five of the largest New York banks. These institutions represent $33,000,000 in capital. They have surplus and undivided profit of $42,761,000; deposits of $302,274,000, with cash due from other banks amounting to $99,191,000. All this has been done with stock which after his purchase, could earn legally only $3,514 a year dividends, or one-fifth of one per cent. interest on Mr. Ryan's investment. To other Wall street manipulators the stroke has been a Napoleonic bit of financiering. To the stockholders of the Equitable Life and of the Mutual Life it means a loss of more than $500,000.

There is nothing better offered the public today for stomach troubles, dyspepsia, indigestion, etc., than Kodol. This is a scientific preparation of natural digestants combined with vegetable acids and it contains the same juices found in every healthy stomach. Kodol is guaranteed to give relief. It is pleasant to take; it will make you feel fine by digesting what you eat. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co.

Many sufferers from nasal catarrh say they get splendid results by using an atomizer. For their benefit we prepare Ely's Liquid Cream Balm. Except that it is in all respects like the healing, helpful, pain-allaying Cream Balm that the public has been familiar with for years. No cocaine nor other dangerous drug in it. The soothing spray is a remedy that relieves at once. All druggist, 75c., including spraying tube, or mailed by Ely Bros., 56 Warren Street, New York.

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The **Rayo** Lamp with its flood of steady, brilliant light is ideal for the long winter evenings—read or sew by it—won't tire your eyes. Latest improved central draft burner. Made of brass, nickel plated. Every lamp warranted. If your dealer cannot supply the Rayo Lamp or Perfection Oil Heater, write our nearest agency for a descriptive circular.

STANDARD OIL COMPANY (Incorporated)

Xmas Presents.

Ruben's Furniture for service and comfort. A large easy Rocker for father or mother or a Morris Chair or Morris Rocker for health and sickness, or a Couch for dining room or sitting room, made in velours imitation and genuine leather. The Box Couch, just the thing for bedroom, either for sleeping or packing. Only 14 days now to purchase your gifts. Come early while stocks are complete and you can take time for selection.

Parlor Cabinet, prices 12, 14, 15, $18 and up.
China Closets, prices 18.50, 22.50, 25, 30, $40 and up.
Music Cabinets, prices 7.50, 9, 10, $12 and up.
Morris Chairs and Rockers, prices 5, 7, 9, $10 and up.
Couches, prices 6, 8, 10, 12, $13 and up.
Mahogany Rockers, prices 2.50 3, 4, 5, 6, $7 and up.
Oak Rockers, prices 2, 3, 4, 5, $7 and up.
Fancy Parlor Tables, prices 1.50, 2, 3, 4, $5 and up.
Ornaments and Bric-a-brac.
Large and well selected line.
Pictures.
All the latest subjects.

M. RUBEN & SONS.

OBJECT TO EXAMINATION.

Every parent in Pittsfield is taking sides on the question of disrobing school children for purposes of medical examination, and the issue threatens to disrupt the school board. Complaints from mothers and fathers of pupils came to a focus when one girl of 14 fainted upon being asked to remove her shirtwaist so that the physicians could examine her lungs, and it took the doctor fifteen minutes to bring her to. The physicians say a partial disrobing is necessary for an examination that complies with the State law, but many parents declare the doctors proceed with disregard for the sensibilities of the children. With less than half the pupils examined, the doctors have discovered eight cases that necessitated the immediate removal of the patient from school.

The Finest of Everything.

THOS. LANNON,

Grocer and Importer,

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Shelled Almonds.
Shelled Pecans.
Shelled Walnuts.

Glace Cherries, 15c Per Box.

Canton Ginger, One-quarter and One-half Pots 25c and 45c.

Crystalized Ginger.

Swedish Milk Wafers For Afternoon Tea.

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Filled Dates and Figs.

Carter Bros.,

1023 King St.

We have a full line of goods for the Christmas holidays.

Home Made Jams, Preserves and Jelleys, Turkeys, Chickens and Game. We carry a full and well selected stock. Any and all orders filled on short notice.

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Softens the skin and brings color to the cheeks : : :

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1 Bottle of either Lord Fairfax, Mount Vernon, Old Maryland Rye, or Sherwood, quart value	$1.00
1 Bottle of Best Jamaica Rum, value	$1.00
1 Bottle of Imported Sherry, value	$1.00
1 Bottle of Imported Port, value	$1.00
1 Bottle of Urbana Catawba, value	.50
1 Bottle of Blackberry Cordial, value	.50
Total value	$5.00

As a special Christmas offering, we will sell this entire combination at the low price of

$3.50

We are also the headquarters for Wines and Liquors, and the best $1.00 Whisky, the same you pay more for elsewhere.

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WAKEFIELD PURE RYE,

Best Medicinal Whisky, $1 Quart.

We are Headquarters for Quality and Lowest Prices for Xmas Wines, Rums, Brandies, Cordials, Etc : : : : : :

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Correct Wear FOR MEN.

We invite the most critical inspection of our Men's Haberdashery Department where will be found at all times a big variety of first class Men's Furnishings at popular prices : : :

Men's Holeproof Sox.

Another case of Men's Holeproof Sox, just received, in black, tan, and black with white feet. The Holeproof Hosiery are sold with a guarantee, and we are exclusive agents in this section. Try a box. Six pair $2

Men's Dress Shirts.

The Monarch Dress Shirts, now $1.00.
The Cluett Dress Shirts, each $1.50.
The Manhattan Dress Shirts, each $1.75.

Men's Warm Underwear.

Men's Heavy Fleece Shirts and Drawers, each 50c.
Men's Grey Winter Underwear, each 75c, $1, $1.50, $2 50.
Men's Wright Health Underwear, each $1 and $1.50
Men's Camels Hair Underwear, each $1 and $1.50.
Men's Blue Silk Finished Underwear, each $2.50.

Men's Outing Flannel.

Men's Outing Flannel Night Robes, each 50c, $1 and $1.50.
Men's Outing Flannel Pajamas, per suit $1 $1 50 and $2.50.
Men's Muslin Night Robes, each 50c, 75c, $1, and $1 50.
Men's Warm Bath Robes, each $3.25, $4.50, $5.00 and $6.50.
Men's Wool Sox, pair 25c, 35c, and 50c.

EGGS.

We are selling our best EGGS at 25c per dozen, and guaranteeing them to be sound. RAISINS, CURRANTS and all other goods for the holidays priced very low. You should visit our store and inspect our FRUITS from the finest orchards and vineyards of the world. We have also added a stock of artifical flowers that are worthy of your attention.

Positively we only advertise goods of merit.

Alex's. Finest Fruit Store,

717 KING STREET.

J. M. PETTIT, Jr.

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DRY GOODS

We Are Ready

For Christmas

Come down and look over the grand holiday display. Hundreds of beautiful articles suitable for gifts heaped up on our bargain tables. We have tables laden with fancy articles at 10c, 25c, 49c 98c. Witness our gorgeous display of Handkerchiefs, Hosiers, Gloves, Umbrellas, Leather Goods, Neckwear, in fact hundreds of articles too numerous to mention.

To Xmas Shoppers.

In former years we have requested that Christmas shopping be done early. This is a matter of consideration for our helpers behind the counters. We make this request again this year. Christmas stocks are in and really nothing is to be gained by waiting. When desired purchases will be carefully packed and held to your order for delivery. We allow 10 per cent discount to Sunday schools and charitable institutions. We box free of charge Kid Gloves and Fine Handkerchiefs : : :

Bargains without a parallel in Ladies' Cloaks, Suits, Waists, Children's Cloaks, &c., &c

Owing to trade conditions we find ourselves overstocked in our Ladies' ready made wear department, and in order to reduce the stock we shall make liberal price concessions right now, when you are most in need of such garments.

$3.98 Ladies' plain cloth top shirts reduced to $2 98.
$3 98 Ladies' fancy cloth plaid top skirts, reduced to $2.98.
$14.98 Ladies' all-wool cheviot suits, reduced to $10.98.
$15 98 Ladies' broadcloth suits, reduced to $12.98.
$5.00 Black silk petticoats, reduced to $3.98.
$6.98 Black silk petticoats, reduced to $4.98
$3.98 Children's coats, reduced to $2.49.
7.98 Ladies' tan jackets, silk lined reduced to $5.98.
$7.98 Ladies' 52 inch tan coats, reduced to $5.98.
$7.98 Ladies' 52 inch black coats, reduced to $5.98.
$8.98 Ladies' short black jackets, satin lined, reduced to $6.98.
$12 98 Ladies' 52 inch tan coats, reduced to $8.98.
$5.00 Panama dress skirts, reduced to $3.98.
$5.00 Broadcloth dress skirts, reduced to $3.98.
$3.98 Children's bear skin and astrakan coats, reduced to $2.98.
$12.98 Ladies' rain coats, reduced to $9.98.
69c Black satine waists, reduced to 49c.
69c Flanelette Waists reduced to 49c.
$1.98 Fancy plaid waists, reduced to $1.49.
$1.50 White madras waists, reduced to 98c.
$3. 98 Silk waists, reduced to $2.49.
$1.00 Black petticoats, reduced to 75c.
89c Flanelette wrappers, reduced to 75c.
39c Short kimonas, reduced to 25c.

D. BENDHEIM & SONS.

PROPOSALS.

Office of Constructing Quartermaster, U. S. Army, Fort Washington, Maryland, December 9th, 1907. Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received at this office until 2 o'clock p. m. January 10th, 1908, for resurfacing macadam roads at Fort Washington, Md. Information regarding plans and specifications may be obtained at this office. Intending bidders will be required to deposit the sum of five (5) dollars if furnished with the plans and specifications, which sum will be refunded upon return of same. Proposals must be marked "Proposals for Resurfacing Roads at Fort Washington, Md." and addressed to the Constructing Quartermaster, U. S. Army, Fort Washington, Md.

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Five barrels HEINZ'S CUCUMBER PICKLES, just received for sale at 90c per hundred by J. C. MILBURN.

DRY GOODS.

Woodward & Lothrop,

10th, 11th, F & G Sts. N. W.

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Silk Petticoats for Xmas Gifts.

Exquisite imported and beautiful American novelties for street and evening wear—forming, in all, a collection of the most elegant exclusive efforts we have ever shown.

We also show the less pretentious sorts for general wear and a full line of the Jersey-top Petticoat, which is very popular this season.

Black Taffeta Silk Petticoats, trimmed with wide flare flounce and full tucked ruffle. Each $3.75

Taffeta Silk Petticoats, good quality material, in black, white, and all the leading shades; trimmed with accordion-plaited flounce and wide flare ruffles. Each $5 50

Silk Petticoats, of heavy rustling taffeta, in black and all the wanted colors; trimmed with wide fluffy flounce and full section ruffles. Each $7.75

Silk Jersey-top Petticoats, trimmed with accordion-plaited silk flounce and ruching. Each $15 50

"Novent" Petticoats, with wool Jersey top, trimmed with deep accordion-plaited or flaring sectional silk ruffles. Each $6 and $7.50

Third floor—11th st.

Silk and other Hosiery for Xmas Gifts.

We are showing select lines of Hosiery for women and children.

Hosiery for Xmas gifts neatly boxed, if desired.

Women's French Silk Hose, plain and open work. $3.25 to $15 a pair.

Women's Plain Black Silk Hose. $1.00 to $10.00 a pair.

Women's Plain Silk Hose, with embroidered ankles. $2 25 to $15.00 a pair.

Elegant line of Women's Lisle Thread Hose, self-embroidery. 50c to $1.25 a pair.

Women's Black Embroidered Lisle Thread Hose, thin and heavy weights. 35c to $1.50 a pair.

Women's Cotton Hose, in light, medium, and heavy weights. 25c to 75c a pair.

Women's Extra Size Black Cotton Hose, for stout people. 35c to 75c a pair.

Main floor—F st.

WOODWARD & LOTHROP.

Christmas Gifts.

Cards, Calendars, Post Cards and Albums. Gift Books of all kinds. Episcopal and Catholic Prayer Books Hymnals, Pocket Books, Pass Cases and other Leather Goods. Toilet and Shaving Sets. The finest line of Box Paper ever shown. Fancy Boxes for Handkerchiefs, Neckties and Gloves. Waterman's Ideal Fountain Pens. Tree Ornaments and hundred of other things at

S. F. DYSON & BROS.

508 KING STREET.

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THE PURE FOOD STORE

COFFEE.

We are large handlers of Choice Coffees, both in packages and in bulk, and invite especial attention to five brands as follows:

Golden Blend	18c per pound
Sterling	20c "
Regal	25c "
East India	30c "
Jamaka	35c "

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Edward Quinn & Sons,

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HAVING qualified as executor of the estate of MRS. HARRIET W. MACDONOUGH, deceased, all persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make prompt settlement, and all persons to whom said estate is indebted will please present their accounts properly certified to the undersigned for settlement.

SHERMAN B. FOWLER, Executor.

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A good thing to use after washing your hair—NICKLIN'S HAIR TONIC, 25 cents Manufactured by

C. S. LEADBEATER & SONS.

NEW PRUNES and EVAPORATED PEACHES just received by J. C. MILBURN.

Alexandria Gazette
SIC SEMPER TYRANNIS
AND VIRGINIA ADVERTISER

THURSDAY EVENING, DEC. 12, 1907.

SENATOR JEFF DAVIS, of Arkansas, may have transgressed one of the customs of the Senate when he spoke yesterday but he broke no rule and he certainly made a forceable argument against the trusts and told how they could be eradicated. Though a new member and his speaking so early in the session was contrary to "senatorial custom" his manner was so earnest and what he had to say was so straightforward and honest that he received respectful attention not only from his fellow Senators, but from the crowded galleries. He concluded his speech as follows:

Is this bill going to be put to sleep? Is that to be its fate? If so, I say to you today, that as long as I have the honor to occupy this seat, as the peer of any Senator on this floor, this bill shall rise from its ashes. It shall rise to fret you, and you had just as well dispose of it now. You had just as well beat it now, because you have got it to beat at last. You have got to beat it finally. If you want to go to the country with your publicly expressed declaration that you are in favor of killing trusts, and if you want to leave that pledge unredeemed, then I challenge any Senator from Maine to California, no matter where he is from, to get an audience of his people intelligent enough to consider the merits of this bill, and there I will meet him and we will fight this question out before his own constituents.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT made the positive announcement last night that he will not be again a candidate or accept another nomination for the position he has held for nearly two terms. His withdrawal leaves the field open to the large number of candidates whose names have been prominently mentioned, including those of Secretary Cortelyou, Secretary Taft, Senator Foraker, Senator Knox, Speaker Cannon, Governor Hughes, and others. Still it is believed Mr. Roosevelt is the strongest man in his party and his withdrawal makes democratic success now even better than heretofore. The fight for the republican nomination will now grow warm from this time on, as the uncertainty which existed regarding Mr. Roosevelt's intention held more than one of the candidates back, and even led some of them to urge their friends to keep them in the background. Some of the President's critics may assert that he was forced from the field by the attacks made upon him and his policies, which have undoubtedly weakened him, but it is more charitable to think that he was acting in accordance with the statement he made on the night of his election that he would not again be a candidate.

TROUBLES assail all, neither wealth nor position proving barriers to pain or anxiety. The White House is no exception, but, as the humblest cottage, has its share of ordeals, which bring grave apprehension. A short time ago a little son of President Roosevelt was stricken by that infantile terror, diphtheria, which for a time caused gloom to pervade the precincts of the presidential mansion, and to bring about nights of anxious vigil. The little fellow, however, passed safely through the crisis of the dreaded malady, and finally regained his normal health. But anxiety is again manifest in the family of the executive. His daughter, Mrs. Longworth, is a sufferer from appendicitis, and today was compelled to submit to the knife for relief. With the burdens of state, and the uncertainty attending surgical operations pressing upon his soul, Mr Roosevelt should receive the earnest sympathy of all, together with prayers that the efforts of the physicians will be blessed in bringing back to health his stricken daughter.

THE Victoria furnace, at Goshen, went out of blast Monday. It has been operating most successfully, but has at last followed the example of a large number of the furnaces of the country and gone out. For some weeks it has been stacking its output on the yard, being without a market for the iron. Thus it will be seen that the depression in the iron industry has reached Virginia.

PERSONS who have a habit of accepting with a grain of salt all reports that seem too good to be true, are still waiting for confirmation of the story of the drop in the price of meats.

From Washington.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]

Washington, Dec. 12.

Mrs. Nicholas Longworth, wife of Representative Longworth, of Ohio, and the eldest child of President Roosevelt, this morning was operated upon for appendicitis at the White House. Mrs. Longworth went to the White House last night and was operated upon by Dr. Finney, of Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore, assisted by Surgeon General Rixey and Dr. Sophie Jung, of Washington. Mrs. Longworth's condition is not such as to cause especial anxiety as to the outcome of the operation, which has been contemplated for some time. With Representative Longworth, she has just returned from New York, where they attended the wedding of Miss Gladys Mills. Surgeon General Rixey, of the navy, announced at 11:25 that the operation performed this morning had been perfectly successful, and that Mrs. Longworth's condition was satisfactory. It was shown that the diagnosis by the New York specialists, stating that an operation was imperative, was correct. There is no reason for apprehension as to the outcome.

Charles W. Galloway, superintendent of transportation of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company, testified today in the Terra Cotta wreck trial. He was questioned as to the duty of engineers and telegraph operators and stated there should only be one train in a block at a time. He detailed the use of signals at various stations and gave a vivid description of the wreck which occurred December 30 last, when fifty persons were killed, and eighty were injured.

"It was just what we were hoping he would say. Now we will go ahead and win"—Chorus of managers of the presidential booms of Taft, Cannon, Fairbanks, Cortelyou, Knox, Foraker, Hughes and possibly a few others when they heard that President Roosevelt had repeated his declaration of election night, 1904, and had absolutely put himself out of the race for 1908. Although the statement was looked for by many some time before the convention met, it came last night as a big surprise to politicians on both sides of the fence, and the hotel lobbies were soon filled with groups of republicans and democrats that were examining the announcement from every possible angle. The general belief expressed was that the President had "been smoked out," but opinions differed widely as to who or what had been responsible for the smudge. The democrats asserted that the visit to the executive office of John Sharp Williams was responsible. Many republicans guessed that Mr. Cannon was at the bottom of it. Half the opinions gave the Clayton anti-third term resolution credit for influencing the President's mind to a considerable extent, and all the friends of the various candidates were quick to claim an instant increase of strength for the booms they are promoting. While all the candidates in the field, either avowed or receptive, will claim they have been benefitted by the President's dismissal of the third term talk the anti-administration camps all seem to agree in declaring that the Taft boom will probably be more injured than benefitted by the move. It is the general belief expressed about the Capitol that the Cortelyou and the Fairbanks booms have been especially bettered by the President's withdrawal.

The treaty establishing the court of arbitration, known as the Central American Court of Justice decided upon the Central American Peace Conference, has been formally adopted. The document will not be made public till after its ratification by the five interested countries, but an abstract of it was announced by the conference today. The treaty provides for one delegates from each of the five countries to be appointed by the President of the respective country, the place of meeting to be in Costa Rica. The members of the court are to receive a salary of $10,00 each. The treaty for ten years.

From information developed by the Second Assistant Postmaster-General investigating General Secretary Shepperd's complaint for the National Association of Railway Trainmen against the Missouri Pacific Railway Company it has been decided that the charges will be ignored. The complaint was sensational in nature, alleging that the railroad had but 200 miles of safe track in its whole system.

Mayor Tom Johnson, of Cleveland, and Representative Theodore Burton met by chance in the President's office at the White House today and, as the mayor expressed it, "shook hands over the bloody chasm."

It will soon be a matier of histroy what banks, if any, have been guilty of hoarding money to an unnecessary extent.

COMPROMISE REACHED.

A compromise was reached yesterday between the State of North Carolina and the railroads in the matter of long-pending rate wars.

Gov. Glenn last night, after a conference with State officials and President Finley, of the Southern Railway, announced the end of hostilities.

The compromise is for a 2½ cent flat passenger rate, provided the railroads will also agree to reduce interstate transportation to 2½ cents, so that the inter and intrastate rates may be uniform; put on sale two thousand mileage books at 2 cents, interstate and interchangeable; two thousand mileage books for firms and employes not to exceed five persons good in and out of the State and interchangeable; a five-hundred mile family book, good in the State, at 2 cents, and with the further stipulation that the railroads shall bear all the expenses of the litigation up to the time of the acceptance of the compromise.

The Southern Railway, through President Finley, agreed to the propositon of the governor, with the exception of the item relating to the family mileage book at 2 cents, a novelty of which that road seemed afraid. It offered, however, to include this item at 2½ cents.

After a further conference with State officials, the governor agreed to meet this objection rather than have the litigation drag along further. The Seaboard Air Line joins with the Southern in accepting the compromise, but the Atlantic Coast Line has interposed objections.

The other roads operating in the State have not been heard from. The governor last night gave out a statement of the settlement with the exact terms of the compromise.

UNITED CONFEDERATE VETERANS.

General Stith Bolling of Petersburg, mayor general commanding the Virginia division United Confederate Veterans, yesterday appointed the following division staff officers:

Col. William M. Evans, adjutant general and chief of staff, Richmond; Col. J. Taylor Ellyson, chief of artillery, Richmond; Col. H. Clay Roper, inspector general, Petersburg; Col. George L. Christian, judge advocate general, Richmond; Col. D. A. Brown, jr., quartermaster general, Richmond; Maj. Charles Walt, commissary general, Culpeper; Col. Frank S. Robertson, chief of engineers, Abingdon; Col. R. C. Marshall, chief of ordnance, Portsmouth; Dr. James F. Bryant, surgeon general, Franklin; Rev. Dr. B. D. Tucker, chaplain general, Roanoke; Maj. Louis L. Marks, assistant adjutant general, Petersburg; Dr. T. E. Stratton, assistant surgeon general, Richmond; aides-de-camp, Col. John W. Gordon, Richmond; Col John Lamb, Richmond; Maj. J. H. Mullen, Petersburg; Maj Silas H. Walker, Weyers Cave; Maj. T. D. Cogbill, Bowling Green; Maj. J. O. Moore, Wytheville; Maj. Josiah H. Stickly, Strasburg; Maj. W. H. Mosby, Bedford City; Maj. J. C. Holmes, Wytheville.

The Texas Court of Appeals has affirmed the suit to oust the Waters-Pierce Oil Company, and also affirmed the fine of $1,623,000.

News of the Day.

The Supreme Court of New York has decided that a boy's life is worth $800 and a boy's leg is worth $10,000.

Gov. Hoke Smith, of Georgia, declares the South will not longer submit to being ignored in democratic affairs.

At 11 o'clock this morning 256 bodies had been taken out of the mines at Monongah, W. Va., and it is now estimated that there are at least 145 bodies yet to be found.

Terry McGovern, ex-champion light weight pugilist, was completely laid out after he "mixed" with a stranger whom he insulted in the cafe of Madison Square Garden, New York.

P. J. McNulty, the wealthy Pittsburg coal baron, who contested with Laura Biggar for the Bennett millions, died today in University Hospital, Philadelphia, of heart disease.

More than 225 bodies have thus far been recovered from the wrecked mines at Monongah, W. Va., 120 having been taken out of the mines yesterday. Most of those taken out have been buried.

A cable from London says that there are those in Mr. Taft's party who predict that Mr. Taft will resign his seat in the Cabinet soon after his arrival in America, and that he will cut himself loose from President Roosevelt and become an independent candidate.

Harry Orchard was yesterday called to the witness stand in Boise, Idaho, in the Pettibone trial. He repeated the story he told at the Haywood trial and said Pettibone told him he shipped guns for the riot and that he was asked to blow up the mine. He accused W. E. Davis of a request to kill strikebreakers, and said he agreed.

Sadie Garetsky, aged nineteen, who a little over a week ago was awakened from a nine days' trance, died at her home in West Grove, N. J., yesterday afternoon. Nervous prostration is assigned as the cause of death. Miss Garetsky first entered the state of coma on November 21, following a dispute with a fellow employee at a local shirt factory, which ended in a hairpulling fight. When she reached home that night, Miss Garetsky threw herself on her bed and sobbed herself into a nine days' sleep.

Virginia News.

The Minnesota, the last of the battleship fleet, arrived in Hampton Roads yesterday evening.

John M. Bierer, aged sixty-three years, a wealthy retired farmer of Warren, dropped dead yesterday from heart trouble.

Yesterday was the 45th anniversary of the bombardment of Fredericksburg, and today, December 12th, is the 45th anniversary of the battle of Fredericksburg.

William Henry Hudson, of King George county, died Monday at his home, near King George Court House, after an lingering illness, aged seventy-nine years.

The rollers employed by the United States Steel Corporation have been notified by the management that after January 1st there would be a wage reduction of 10 per cent.

Allan Maury, a bookkeeper for the National Bank of Virginia, died suddenly at the railroad station at Ashland yesterday while waiting to get aboard a train for Richmond.

Marriage licenses were issued in Washington yesterday to Thomas R. Davis and Florence O. Woodward, of Rectortown, and to William R. Humphries, of Harrison, and Florence M. Rowzie, of Ashland.

Capt. Robert Le Masurier, member of the Board of Aldermen, lieutenant in the Richmond Light Infantry Blues, and prominent in business and municipal circles, died in Richmond yesterday. He was thirty-five years old.

The debate committee of the University of Pennsylvania has decided to renew contests with the University of Virginia, and a series of debates is being arranged between the two institutions, the first of which will come off early next spring.

Messrs. Davis & Davis, Washington patent attorneys, report the grant this week to citizens of this State of the following patents: James Hedrick, of Favonia, hoof-parer, and Buell Stanley, of Herndon, device for receiving and delivering mail-pouches.

The trial of Fred Jenkins for the murder of William Smith commenced at Culpeper yesterday before Judge D. A. Grimsley. From the venire as already summoned but six trial jurymen were secured. The court then had summoned an additional venire from which tomorrow it is thought the jury will be completed.

Fire in the large barn near Langley of U. S. Walters, who conducts one of the biggest dairy establishments in Fairfax county, Monday night, resulted in the loss of eleven horses, twenty head of cattle, a large quantity of hay and grain and many pieces of valuable agricultural implements. Only one wagon was saved. The loss is estimated at $7,000.

Under a decree of court the old Ballard Hotel property, at the corner of Fourteenth and Franklin streets, Richmond, once one of the most fashionable hostelries in the South, was sold at public auction yesterday to the Citizens' Relief Association, the financial arm of the the Associated Charities of that city, for $12,500. The building will continue to be used as the home of the Associated Charities.

SHOT HIS SWEETHEART.

Enraged at her determination to see him no more, William Miller, a seventeen year-old operator at the Meadow Mills, at Woodberry, near Baltimore, shot and probably fatally injured his sweetheart, Annie Grace Boblitz, who is also seventeen, late Tuesday night in the parlor of her home. That she is still living is due to the fact that the .32-caliber revolver Miller used failed to explode the remaining cartridges in the chamber after two had been fired, for when Mrs. Frank Boblitz, the girl's mother, rushed into the apartment, Miller was standing over his victim, snapping the weapon at her.

Mrs. Boblitz wrenched the pistol away from him, and Miller ran out of the house, to be captured the next minute by a policeman. Miller was hopelessly infatuated with Miss Boblitz, who is unusually pretty and was regarded as a belle in the neighborhood.

Sixtieth Congress.

Washington, Dec. 12.

SENATE.

In accordance with the promise made by Senator Aldrich and after a lengthy discussion, during the course of which Mr. Culberson, the democratic leader, was brought into the conference, the Senate committee on finance today adopted the following resolution to take the place of those offered by several democrats.

"Resolved, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, directed to transmit to the Senate the following information:

"First—A statement giving names and location, classified by States, of all United States depositories, and the amount of public money on deposit daily in each, from October 1st., 1907, to December 3rd., 1907, with amount and character of securities therefor; and an explanation of important changes made in either amount or location of said deposits.

"Second—A statement showing in detail the condition of the national banks on August 22nd, 1907, and December 3rd., 1907, and the amount of national bank notes outstanding from time to time during such period:

"Third—An abstract of the proposals received by the Secretary of the Treasury for the purchase of the Panama bonds and three per centum certificates of indebtedness authorized by the treasury circular of November 18th., 1907; the amount of such bonds and certificates issued, to whom awarded, and the reasons for their issue;

"Fourth—A detailed statement of any information he may have as to the amount of clearinghouse certificates issued by the clearinghouse associations of the principal cities from October, 25th, 1907, to December 3rd, 1907; the character of such certificates, and the purposes for which they were used;

"Fifth.—Any information in his possession as to the movement of currency between the different sections of the country during the period from October 1st. 1907, and December 3rd., 1907, compared with previous years, and especially of shipments by the Treasury, or otherwise, from New York and Washington to points south and west.

"Sixth.—A statement showing the amount of gold imports and exports from October 1st., 1907, to December 3rd., 1907."

The resolution was reported to the Senate by Chairman Aldrich immediately after the meeting of the Senate and was unanimously adopted. It covers all of the points upon which information was sought in the various resolutions presented by democratic senators.

The questions to whether Cabinet officers have a right to frame legislation and send bills to Congress for passage was brought up again in the Senate today and the practice was severely criticized.

HOUSE.

When the House of Representatives met today Speaker Cannon announced the new committee on rules. It follows:

Speaker Cannon (rep. Ills.); Dalzell (rep. Pa.); Sherman (rep. N. Y.); Williams (dem. Miss.); De Armond (dem. Mo.)

Representative Sherman is the only member not on the committee last Congress, he succeeding General Grosvenor (rep. Ohio), not a member of this Congress.

The Speaker also appointed Brumm (rep. Pa.); Kennedy (rep. Iowa); A. D. James (rep. Ky.); Lewis (dem. Ga.); Denver (dem. Ohio), as a committee on mileage.

Mr. Clayton (dem. Ala.), author of the recent anti-third term resolution, introduced a resolution in the House congratulating the country upon the declination of the President to run another term.

Speaker Cannon had the clerk read the rules prohibiting smoking on the floor at any time.

"That means just what it says," he added, glancing from one member to another, "and I had it read, believing some of the members had forgotton it. It is the duty of the sergeant-at-arms to enforce it strictly and all will understand if he is called upon to perform that duty."

After weak resistance by the democrats the House adjourned until Monday.

POLL TAX MONEY TO SUPREME COURT.

Judge Martin in Norfolk yesterday reserved decision in the matter of the mandamus brought to prevent Treasurer Herman returning the names of any voters except those who "personally" paid their poll taxes. Treasurer Herman said, while section 21 of the consitution says poll taxes must be "personally" paid, section 38 says he must return the "names of those who paid their poll taxes" with no reference to "personally." He contended, as did an opinion from the attorney-general, that all payments should be returned with the right of those who desire to do so to challenge those who did not pay "personally," the judges of election to administer an oath and determine this.

Counsel for the petitioners poured hot shot into Attorney-General Anderson for first saying poll taxes had to appear in person and then saying "personally" meant either by money sent in a sealed envelope, by private check, postoffice order or appearing in person.

Judge Martin said the question would have to be determined on the relation of section 38 to section 21 purely. An appeal will be taken to the Supreme Court either way.

STATE CAMP AND RIFLE RANGE.

At a meeting of the State Military Board in the office of the Governor in Richmond yesterday a committee consisting of Adjutant General Anderson, Brigadier General Vaughan, Col. C. A. Dempsey and Col. J. L. Stern was appointed to take up the question of securing a site for a State camp and rifle range for the military. The following towns will be considered as available locations for the State camp: Lynchburg, Basic City, Danville, Charlottesville, Gordonsville, Burkeville, Doswell, Ashland, Petersburg and Richmond.

Hopkinsville, Ky., is guarded today by State militia. Reports reached there that night riders, who caused destruction of property valued at $200,000, were returning to burn the remaining trust tobacco factories and avenge the killing of George Gray, a rider.

Take DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills; they are for weak back, inflammation of the bladder, backache and weak kidneys. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co.

Today's Telegraphic News.

To Increase Fares.

[Special Dispatch to the Alexandria Gazette.]

Richmond, Va., Dec. 12.—The Great Falls and Old Dominion Railway Company today applied to the Corporation Commission for permission to increase its fair zone, in other words to make a slight increase in its charges. At present the line is divived into 4 zones and on each of these the fare is five cents or six tickets for 25 cents. The company now desires to divide the line into five zones and to charge the same fare on each zone or fraction thereof. It claims that it is not now making operation expenses. The commission will give a hearing to the company oh January 7th.

Democratic National Committee.

Washington, Dec. 12.—Rather than do business on Friday, the thirteenth, Chairman Tom Taggart is trying today to have the democratic national committee finish two days work in one. He wants the questions of place of holding the next convention, the time, and the manner of selecting delegates to be decided upon by tonight, so that no one need hesitate to vote for the ticket on the ground that it had its inception under a hoodoo.

Louisville has popped up at the last minute as a very lively contestant for the convention honors.

Mayor Tom Johnson telephoned the Cleveland Chamber of Commerce yesterday that he thought $60,000 might get the convention for that city. He did not urge the collection of this amount, and this morning received a telegram from the committee appointed to consider the matter, declining to extend an invitation for the convention.

Atlantic City apparently suffered a change of mind when it was ascertained that the sentiment seemed to be in favor of a convention about June 24, as then she will have all the summer guests she can take care of comfortably. Chicago has for days been playing the same tactics she did with the republicans. Louisville will offer between $30,000 and $60,000, while Denver, too far west for most of the committeemen, has tempted the committee with a purse of $100,000 in gold.

The clans gathered at 11 o'clock in the Arlington Hotel, where the democratic congressional delegation gave a reception to the national committmen for an hour before the committee had been scheduled to convene. It was a good opportunity to compare notes as to candidates. The majority of both committeemen and congressmen were of the opinion that Bryan was the only man to be nominated. The name of Gov. Johnson, of Minnesota was mentioned also.

Lieut Gov. Chanler, of New York, was a name some had heard about, but Norman E. Mack pointed that "with Roosevelt for Bryan, all democrats ought to be for him." Ex-Governor Douglas, of Masschusetts, was another spoken about but he seemed more popular for second place.

When the committee was called to order at noon the following cities were named for the place of holding the national convention:

Denver, Chicago, Louisville, St. Paul, Atlantic City. This was by roll call. Advocates of the various cities were then heard.

National Committeeman Kenny, of Delaware, is sounding opinion with a view of having the committee go on record against instruction of delegates to the next democratic convention. The committee will probably later in the day adopt a resolution offered by Committee man Johnson, (Tex.,) at the solicitation of Perry Belmont, approving the movement in favor of publicity of campaign contributions. Favorable action is expected.

At 1:05 p. m. the committee recessed until 4 o'clock when it will go into executive session to vote for the place of the national convention.

For any of the ordinary diseases of the skin Chamberlain's Salve is excellent. It not only allays the itching and smarting but effects a cure. For sale by Richard Gibson, and W. F. Creighton & Co.

The Pacific Fleet.

Norfolk, Va., Dec. 12.—There will be more gunpowder burned next Monday in Hampton Roads than there was in the historic battle between the Monitor and Virginia.

Every one of Admiral Evans' 16 battleships will fire 21 guns on the arrival of the President on his yacht Mayflower, and they will repeat the noise when they pass that vessel on their way out to sea.

The admiral, his division commanders and ship captains are busy today working out the details of the programme for the President's reception, and the departure of the fleet on its long voyage.

The Mayflower is scheduled to leave Washington at 5 o'clock Sunday afternoon, reaching Fort Monroe shortly after 8 o'clock Monday morning. With the President will be Secretary of the Navy Metcalf, Assistant Secretary Newberry and Rear Admiral Brownson, chief of the Bureau of Navigation.

When the yacht arrives within signaling distance of the flag ship Connecticut—about a mile—an order will be flashed to all the squadron and division commanders for the presidential salute. The firing will be led by the Connecticut.

Admiral Evans, accompanied by his staff, will come aboard to pay his respects to the President and receive his final instructions. He will be followed by his division commanders.

This reception will probably consume two hours or more. As soon as all of the officers are again at their posts, the final order for the start will be flashed by direction of the President from the Mayflower to the Connecticut. The Mayflower will then proceed to a point about half way between Fort Monroe and Cape Charles where she will take position for the review of the fleet as it passes out to sea.

As each ship passes the Mayflower, about 200 feet from that vessel, the presidential salute of 21 guns will again be fired.

How Diptheria is Contracted.

One often hears the expression, "My child caught a severe cold which developed into diphtheria," when the truth was that the cold had simply left the little one particularly susceptible to the wandering diphtheria germ. When Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is given it quickly cures the cold and lessens the danger of diphtheria or any other germ disease being contracted. For sale by Richard Gibson and W. F. Creighton & Co.

The Market.

Georgetown, Dec. 11.—Wheat 73a78.

Emperor William's Condition.

Berlin, Dec. 12.—With Kaiser Wilhelm on his way home from England, supposedly completely recovered from his recent indisposition, rumors are afloat of a serious conference between Crown Prince Frederich Wilhelm and Chancellor Prince Von Bulow last night concerning his majesty's health.

That there was a conference is certain. The prince and chancellor say it related to administrative matters, but Berlin is not convinced. There has long been so much nervousness concerning the Kaiser that every report concerning his health is received with the keenest interest. Previous denials that he was indisposed are known not always to have accorded with the facts.

The ruler was admittedly suffering from a troublesome throat disorder when he went to England. His reported cure is attributed to the favorable climate of the Isle of Wight, where he has just concluded a fortnight's visit.

Traveling from London to Port Victoria by special train last night, the Kaiser embarked at Port Victoria by day on the imperial yacht Hohenzollern. He will spend a short time visiting Queen Wilhelmina of Holland on the way home. The latter will entertain him at Het Loo, near Amsterdam. From there he will make the 11-hour railroad trip to Berlin on a special train.

Imprisoned Miners.

Reno, Nev., Dec. 12.—The rescuers are redoubling their efforts today to rescue Bailey, Brown, and McDonald, miners entombed alive for a week in a drift at the 110-foot level of the Giroux mine's Alphashaft at Ely. Attempts to reach the men are being attended by the most heart-rendering difficulties and, inasmuch as it was not thought possible until yesterday that they could be alive, the men are laboring under heavy difficulties. The prisoners succeeded yesterday in communicating with the rescuers by means of a six-inch pipe which reaches from the surface to their tomb in the heart of the half filled mine and fairly electrified the latter. Fresh recruits have been secured and the opening of the shaft is being pushed at the maximum speed. The imprisoned men, who have been supplied with food and water by means of the pipe, say they will be safe until the rescuers reach them. They can probably be brought to the surface in less then another week.

Conditions in Goldfield.

Goldfield, Nev., Dec. 12.—A resumption of operations is expected in the mines here before night fall. Quarters are ready for the nonunionists engaged by the owners in the Joplin zinc fields and the men themselves are said to be on their way into the camp. The owners predict an outbreak of violence as an almost immediate accompaniment of the non-unionionists' arrival. They profess much dissatisfaction with the troops' failure actually to mount guard over their properties. The unionists are planning criminal proceedings against the operators—among them Senator Nixon—on the ground that they are requiring their employes to sign agreements to renounce union affiliations. The State law prohibits such agreements under penalty of $50 to $300 fine or twenty five days to five months imprisonment for persons requiring them.

Dividends Declared.

Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 12.—The Westinghouse air brake directors have declared the regular quarterly dividend of 2 1-2 per cent. and an extra dividend of 2 1-2 per cent. both payable in cash on January 31, to stock of record December 31. These dividends call for a distribution of $550,000, the great bulk of which will go to stockholders in and around Pittsburg. In addition to the declaration of the cash dividends, the directors declared a stock dividend of 25 per cent. which will be payable on the same date as the cash dividends. The payment of this stock dividend will increase the outstanding capital from $11,000,000 as at present to $14,000,000.

Revolutionists Assassinated.

Sofia, Bulgaria, Dec. 12.—The famous Macedonian revolutionary leaders, Boris Sarafoff and Carvanoff, were assassinated last night by a Macedonian, who shot them both as they were parting after a conference. Sarafoff was the idol of the Macedonian people. He had headed almost numberless risings—great and small—against the Turkish rule and, with every fresh outbreak of fighting in the Balkans, leaped into new prominence. Miss Ellen M. Stone, it will be remembered, was held by him for a ransom several years ago. The two revolutionists are believed to have been planning a Macedonian uprising at the time of their assassination.

The Pope's Allocution.

Rome, Dec. 12.—In his allocution at the consistory December 16 the Pope will give the world his reasons for the famous anti-modernism encyclical, answer some of its critics and reaffirm his denunciation of extreme liberalism. The Italian anti-clerical situation will also be dealt with in detail.

To Serve Twenty Years.

Chicago, Dec. 12.—Mrs. Angelina Anselone must serve twenty years in the penitentiary for killing the man who, she charged, wrecked her home. When the verdict of manslaughter was returned today she screamed hysterically. Efforts will be made to gain a new trial, but as the woman is penniless there is little hope.

HEALTHY PLANTS

Require the Most Careful Attention as Well as Good Soil.

Did you ever see a rosebush which—despite the most beneficent environment of soil—of sunshine—and of atmosphere—seemed never to achieve a healthy growth?

A ton of manure will not help a plant that has a canker eating out its heart.

You must destroy the cause before you remove the effect.

You cannot cure Dandruff and Baldness by rubbing on hair lotions, and rubbing in vaseline, etc.

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New York Stock Market.

New York, Dec. 12.—The news from Washington of a positive statement that President Roosevelt will not be a candidate for re-election was responded to by a sharp advance and for a good part of the first hour enough buying was brought in to cause a strong tone at a materially higher level of prices. In the first period of the trading some stocks made gains of from 1 to over 2 points, and the majority of stocks traded in gained to some extent. After the first rush to buy was over the market became heavy without special reason, and before the end of the first hour prices had lost a good part of the early gains and in some cases were below yesterday's close.

Bank Manager Confesses

San Francisco, Dec. 12.—J. Dalzell Brown, imprisoned manager of the California Safe Deposit and Trust Company, has confessed that he falsified the banks records. The entries related to two items, each of $100,000, which appeared as assets of the bank. These items, as recorded on the books made it appear that the California Safe Deposit and Trust Company had on deposit $100,000 in each of two New York. banks.

MR. ROOSEVELT NOT A CANDIDATE.

President Roosevelt last night announced his unaltered purpose not to accept a nomination for the presidency of 1908. The announcement was in almost the briefest possible form, except that he quoted his own statement of election night in 1904. The declaration is as follows:

"In view of the issuance of the call of the republican national committee for the convention the President makes the following statement:

"On the night after election I made the following announcement:

"I am deeply sensible of the honor done me by the American people in thus expressing their confidence in what I have done and have tried to do. I appreciate to the full the solemn responsibility this confidence imposes upon me, and I shall do all that in my power lies not to forfeit it. On the fourth of March next I shall have served three and a half years, and this three and a half years constitute my first term. The wise custom which limits the President to two terms regards the substance and not the form, and under no circumstances will I be a candidate for or accept another nomination.'

"I have not changed, and shall not change the decision thus announced."

When told last night at Lincoln, Neb., that President Roosevelt had made positive declaration that he would not be a candidate for re-election Mr. W. Bryan expressed no surprise. He said the position of the President was as he had thought it to be, Mr. Bryan added:

"I have assumed from the beginning that President Roosevelt would not be a candidate. The statement that he issued the night of election left no room for misunderstanding; and I have felt that his friends were doing him an injustice in suggesting that he would change his position on the subject."

The strike situation at Goldfield was complicated today by a walkout of the Nevada-California Power Company's employes to resist a wage cut from $7to $5 daily.

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Alexandria Gazette.

THURSDAY EVENING, DEC. 12, 1907.

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 7:11 a. m. and sets 4:38. High Water 2:23 a. m. and 2:52.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section fair and continued cold tonight. Friday increasing cloudiness; light variable winds.

REVIVAL SERVICES.

All over town the evangelistic meetings at the Second Presbyterian Church are being talked of, and night after night the church is crowded with attentive listeners. Last night there was scarcely standing room, the crowds filling the auditorium, the gallery and overflowing into the lecture room. Dr. Flinn used as his text, "Prepare to meet thy God," and when the call was given for any who would accept Christ as their Saviour and thus prepare to meet their God, one prominent business man came forward, followed by several other persons. The meeting was closed, but the people would not leave. Songs were sung and when an all night prayer meeting was started there were many who remained.

Tonight Dr. Flinn will preach his farewell sermon. After the service he wants to meet for conference all who have made a profession during the meetings.

On Friday night Rev. Mr. Sevier, the pastor, will preach. Sunday morning and evening he will preach again, and Sunday afternoon Mr. Tom Harrison, the converted engineer, who has had such a great influence among the men of the factories and shops of the city, will make an address to the men. This service will be held at 2:30 in the afternoon. This early hour is chosen that it may not conflict with the meeting at the M. E. Church South.

So great is the interest in the meetings that they will be continued even though Dr. Flinn does have to leave.

SONS OF VETERANS.

The following is a list of those who have become identified with the organization of the Camp of Sons of Confederate Veterans in this city: W. J. Morton, Dr. J. H. Bitzer, Dr. L. Powell, A. D. Brockett, L. E. Duffey, Lucian Duffey, C. E. Duffey, Dr. E. A. Gorman, Chas. S. Taylor, F. W. Ebhardt, H. N. Garner, B. P. Wheatley, E. S. Wheatley, Chas. G. Wheatley, F. A. Bayliss, F. L. Slaymaker, E. C. Tesh, Bedford Uhler, W. R. P. Taylor, F. H. Taylor, Harry Hammond, Dennis Ramsay, Dr. Hugh McGuire, Dr. S. B. Moore, E. C. Graham, Edgar Warfield, jr., Geo. E. Warfield, Sam'l Luckett, James T. Luckett, R. E. L. Rice, C. C. Brawner, Page Brawner, J. Wm. Poss, H. B. Poss, M. T. Dwyer, Lenox Uhler, Frederick Schwab, Conrad Schwab, G. H. Schwab, C. M. Schwab, R. N. Roland, jr., H. W. Rudd, T. R. Rudd, P. F. Gorman, jr., S. H. Devaughn, J. T. O'Meara, C. W. O'Meara, A. H. Mitchell, Louis H. Machen, E. L. Allen, G. M. Humphries, Louis M. Kemper and Sidney Mankin.

POLICE COURT.

There was no session of the Police Court this morning, and the cases on the docket will be disposed of tomorrow morning.

C. W. Stonebanks was arrested on information received from Charlottesville, where, it is alleged, he stole $104. The accused was released in the sum of $100, W. H. Broughton having become his surety.

Bessie Harding, colored, is charged with assaulting Sarah Brown, and Paul Clements is locked up for discharging a pistol in the street. The latter is also charged with stealing a pistol from Thomas Carter. Clements was released from jail yesterday, and he stole the pistol before he left that institution.

HIGH WATER.

A dispatch from Hagerstown, Md., says the Potomac river and its tributaries and all small streams in that section are flooded as the result of unusually heavy rains that have fallen during the last two days. Owing to the ground being frozen, nearly the full volume of water that fell ran into the streams, being augmented by the melting of snow in the mountains. The Potomac river rose at the rate of a foot to the hour Tuesday and Tuesday night at Williamsport, and is now 10 feet above normal, with a slight rise still perceptible. Much damage has been done.

There have, so far, been no unusually high tides at this price.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS.

At the meeting of Fitzgerald Council, Knights of Columbus, held last night, the following officers were elected: M. J. McFarland, grand knight; M. T. Dwyer, deputy grand knight; H. L. Wheatley, chancellor; F. T. Quinn, recorder; James E. Callan, financial secretary; S. A. Breen, treasurer; C. M. Lennon, advocate; W. F. Carne, lecturer; Samuel Devaughn, warden; Richard Rowland, inside guard; W. T. Cline, outside guard; C. T. Hellmuth, trustee for three years; W. H. Whitcomb, delegate to State convention; Dr. E. A. Gorman, first alternate, and C. T. Hellmuth, second alternate.

TRAIN WRECKED.

Train No. 30, the Jacksonville express of the Southern Railway, was wrecked early last night, five miles below Lynchburg, but no one was seriously hurt, and all the passengers escaped. Engineer A. Perry and Fireman John Shaw, both of Spencer, N. C., received bruises, escaping miraculously. The accident was on the new double track, and was caused by a landslide, which was evidently started by the Atlanta express, which passed ten minutes before No. 30. The engine plowed through the slide and into the southbound track. Three coaches left the track.

MISSING MAN.

The Washington police have been asked to locate Benjamin L. Allen, formerly a section foreman employed by the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac Railroad Company, who is missing from his home in St. Elmo, Alexandria county. The request was made by friends of the man's wife, Mrs. Mollie Allen, who received a letter from her husband yesterday morning, in which he declared his intention to end his life because he had lost his position.

DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve. Get DeWitt's. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co.

WEDDING.

The marriage of Mr. Arthur Herbert Bryant and Miss Geraldine Mason Taylor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Taylor, took place at 8 o'clock last night at the home of the parents of the bride, 711 Prince street. Miss Harriet Fowle Taylor, sister of the bride, was maid of honor, while the groom had for his best man his brother, Mr. William Bryant. Rev. P. P. Phillips, of St. Paul's Church, performed the ceremony. Only the immediate relatives and friends of the two families attended the wedding. Following the wedding Mr. and Mrs. Bryant left for a bridal trip. Upon their return from the wedding trip they will take up their residence on south Washington street.

RIVER NOTES.

The pile-driving machine which was employed in lifting a car of the Washington, Alexandria and Mt. Vernon railway out of Hunting creek, into which it plunged several days ago, completed that work yesterday and was taken to Fort Hunt to drive piles in connection with the wharf work in progress at that point.

The Miller dredging machine, which is being overhauled at the shipyard, will be taken to Annapolis, Md., on the completion of the work aboard her, and will, it is stated, be used in the digging of sand and gravel from the Severn river.

DEATH OF MR. LOVE.

Mr. William S. Love died at East Orange, N. J., this morning, after an illness of ten days of pneumonia. The deceased was 38 years old. He was a native of St. Louis, and leaves a widow and a seven-year-old son. Mr. Love was manager of the Wheeler Condenser and Engineering Company of New York. He was a brother of Mrs. Sevier, wife of Rev. J. R. Sevier, of this city, and Mrs. Sevier and baby left this afternoon for St. Louis to attend the funeral. Mr. Love's serious illness was announced at the services in the Presbyterian Church last night.

U. D. C.

The Seventeenth Virginia Regiment Chapter, U. D. C., held their regular monthly meeting yesterday evening at the Confederate Veterans' Hall, when Mrs. Pauline Jones read an original and interesting article contrasting the characters of Generals Lee and Grant. By documentary evidence she compared the conduct of the federal troops in the South with that of the Confederate soldiers when they invaded the north—all to the honor of the latter. After the address the ladies transacted considerable routine business.

FUNERAL.

The funeral of the late Officer William E. Lyles took place this morning from St. Mary's Church, and was attended by many relatives and friends of the deceased, including Mayor Paff, Justice Caton and members of the police force, the latter being in charge of Lieutenants Smith and Bettis. The following were the pallbearers: Officers C. W. Bell, Herbert Knight, W. A. Ferguson, Andrew Nicholson, J. Christopher Gill and John Henderson. Rev. Father H. J. Cutler conducted the services.

DeWitt's Little Riser Pills are sold by W. F. Creighton & Co.

CIRCUIT COURT.

[Judge Harrison, presiding.]

J. L. Loose vs. Southern Railway Company, damage suit, jury and case in progress.

All the evidence is in.

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that sometimes terminates fatally is the stoppage of liver and bowel functions. To quickly end this condition without disagreeable sensations, Dr. King's New Life Pills should always be your remedy. Guaranteed absolutely satisfactory in every case or money back, at all drug stores. 25c.

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A Christmas dinner would seem incomplete without one of your delicious fruit cakes to fill the place of honor they are so well fitted to adorn, to those of us who have each year enjoyed one, and you may be assured of the best wishes of each and every one of your Chicago patrons; and in order that your memory may be still further perpetuated, kindly fill the enclosed order for 60 pounds and ship by express, as usual. C. W. CHANDLER. dec13 1w

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Dracenia Indivisa..... 79c.
Red Immortelle Wreaths..... 75c.
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A Full Line of Flowers For All Purposes.

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C. W. ENTWISLE,

437 N. Columbus St. Bell 'Phone 129.
Fresh Country Eggs. Fine Country Butter
dec12 3t

JAPANESE TEA.

The opening of the Japanese Tea Room will take place on Friday, December, 13th, from 4 to 7 o'clock a. m., at 216 Prince street. Don't fail to see the Japanese Laundry. Children especially invited. The entertainment will be for the benefit of the Good Shepherd Mission Reading Room. The decorations will be furnished by Kann & Son. dec11 2t

A Home Made Happy By Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

About two months ago our baby girl had measles which settled on her lungs and at last resulted in a severe attack of bronchitis. We had two doctors but no relief was obtained. Everybody thought she would die. I went to eight different stores to find a certain remedy which had been recommended to me and failed to get it, when one of the storekeepers insisted that I try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. I did so and our baby is alive and well today.—Geo. W. Spence, Holly Springs, N. C. For sale by W. F. Creighton & Co. and Richard Gibson.

A Real Wonderland.

South Dakota, with its rich silver mines, bonanza farms, wide ranges and strange natural formations, is a veritible wonderland. At Mound City, in the home of Mrs. E. D. Clapp, a wonderful case of healing has lately occurred. Her son seemed near death with lung and throat trouble. "Exhausting coughing spells occurred every five minutes," writes Mrs. Clapp, "when I began giving Dr. King's New Discovery, the great Medicine, that saved his life and completely cured him" Guaranteed for coughs and colds, throat and lung troubles, by all druggists. 50c, and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

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"Out of sight, out of mind," in an old saying which applies with special force to a sore, burn or wound that's been treated with Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It's out of sight, out of mind and out of existence. Piles, too, and and chilblain disappear under its healing influence. Guaranteed by druggists. 25c.

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

The weather was clear and cold again today.

Mr. DeW. Aitcheson today sent a barge load of fender piles to Fort Hunt which will be used in finishing the wharf now nearing completion there.

Mrs. D. C. Reinhol, who died in Washington Monday, was buried yesterday. The deceased was the mother of the late Mrs. Wythe White, of this city.

Annie Craig, colored, died suddenly this morning at her home, southeast corner of Gibbon and Lee streets. The deceased had been a sufferer from heart disease.

It is reported that a huge rock fell on the Southern Railway track near Bull Run early yesterday morning. The obstruction was discovered by a trackwalker and trains flagged. The rock was removed, after which the trains proceeded.

As heretofore stated "The Merry Cobbler" will be presented at the Opera House tonight, for the benefit of the family of the late Officer Lyles. All arraignments for the entertainment have been completed and a full house and a good performance is promised.

A young man while at the skating rink last night was taken to the station house, on suspicion that he was wearing a pair of shoes which were recently stolen from a store on King street. The proprietor of the store was notified, but upon examining the shoes declared that they were not of his stock.

Mr. R. E. Knight, who has taken much pains this year to please the Alexandria toy buyers, has on exhibition in his beautiful new store this year one of the prettiest lines ever exhibited in this city. In fact Mr. Knight has been told by several ladies who know that his line surpasses that in a majority of Washington stores, and that his prices are cheaper.

There will be a meeting of the Local Assembly of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew at St. Paul's Church tomorrow night at 8 p. m.

The Co-operative Charities will meet tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Money can be saved by buying your Shoes at Marshall's, 422 King street. nov21 tf

All want the best. The Hess, Walk Over, Red Cross, and Queen Quality Shoes are to be had at J. A. Marshall & Bro's., 422 King street. nov21 tf

A Significant Prayer.

"May the Lord help you make Bucklen's Arnica Salve known to all," writes J. G. Jenkins, of Chapel Hill, N. C. It quickly took the pain out of a felon for me and cured it in a wonderfully short time." Best on earth for sores, burns and wounds. 25c at all drug stores.

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Men's Underwear at Gift Prices.

150 dozen Men's Natural Gray Shirts and Drawers. In all sizes to 50. Shirts are finished with pearl buttons and self front. Drawers have set-in seat and suspender pes. A value worth $1.00. GIFT PRICE..... 79c

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STATEMENT.

Citizens' National Bank of Alexandria, Va.,

DECEMBER 3, 1907.

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans	$569,556.85	Capital	$100,000.00
U. S. Bonds, to secure circulation,	100,000.00	Surplus	50,000.00
Bonds, to secure U. S. Deposit	53,000 00	Undivided Profits	56,252.57
Other Bonds and Stocks	28,111.56	Circulation	98,900.00
Banking House & Real Estate	52,856.97	Deposits	586,818.29
Cash	43,921.72	U. S. Deposit	50,000.00
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	$941,970.86		$941,970.36

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Misses' Rings	$ 5 00	Solid Gold Cuff Buttons, plain and fancy	$2.00 up
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Ladies' Gold Filled	$ 8 00	Sterling Silver Tea spoons	$5 to $7 per set
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Gents' Gold Filled	$8.00 up	Sterling Silver Cold Meat Forks	3.00 up
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Misses' Watches	2.00 up	Sterling Silver Sugar Spoons	1.75 up

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THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the GEO. W. KNOX EXPRESS COMPANY will be held at its principal office, 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, on January 2, 1908, at 9:30 a. m. GED GIDDINGS, Secretary. dec11 td

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Cash	87,158.40
Due from Banks & Reserve Agts.	99 411.43
5 per cent. Redemption Fund	5,000.00
	$1,187,188.89

Liabilities.

Capital	$100,000.00
Surplus and Net Profits	178,813.01
Circulation	100,000.00
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U. S. Deposits	51,905.62
Other Liabilities	3,550.80
	$1,187,188.89

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MEETINGS.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the MUTUAL BENEFIT SOCIETY of Washington, D. C., (incorporated) will be held at its principal office, No. 117 north Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., at 1 o'clock p. m., MONDAY, December 23, 1907.
WILL. E. BURCHFIELD,
dec10 td Secretary and Treasurer.

NOTICE.—Alexandria, Va., Dec. 3, 1907.
The annual meeting of the stockholders of the CHARLOTTESVILLE AND RAPIDAN RAILROAD COMPANY will be held at the office of the company in Alexandria, Va., on WEDNESDAY, December 18, 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing directors and transacting such other business as may come before the meeting.
E. D. LANKFORD, Secretary.
dec3 td

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CHARLOTTESVILLE AND RAPIDAN RAILROAD COMPANY.
Alexandria, Va., Dec 9, 1907.
To the holders of the Charlottesville and Rapidan Railroad Bonds: The following bonds drawn for redemption by lot, in accordance with the terms of the mortgage, will be paid at the office of the Philadelphia Trust, Safe Deposit and Insurance Company, Philadelphia, Pa., with accrued interest, on January 1, 1908.
Nos. 4, 9, 23, 29, 43, 49, 72, 82, 151, 155, 168, 184, 227 for $1,000 each—$13,000.
Nos. 265, 266, 367, 383, 401, 404, 421, 439, 485, 503, 541, 556, 562, 586, 588, 615, 622, 684, 673, 692 for $500 each—$10,000.
Nos. 751, 762, 818 for $100 each—$300.
EDW. L. DAINGERFIELD, trustee.
dec9 td

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Alexandria Gazette.

THURSDAY EVENING DEC. 12, 1907.

WOMAN SAVES TRAINS.

The tracks of the Columbia and Port Deposit Railroad were covered by a gigantic landslide yesterday for a distance of 500 feet at Fishing Creek, near Lancaster, Pa., and a disastrous wreck likely attended by loss of life would no doubt have followed had it not been for the quick wit of a woman.

Mrs. Elmer St. Clair, wife of a track walker, was in her home a short distance above the scene of the landslide when she heard a terrific rumble, and, looking out, saw what had occurred. She knew the north and southbound passenger trains were due to pass at that point in a few minutes, and, locking her six children in the house, she ran up the tracks and flagged the first train that came along, which happened to be a freight.

The crew then flagged both passenger trains, which, combined, had over 200 persons aboard. It probably will be several days before the tracks are cleared.

About Digestion.

It is not the quantity of food taken but the amount digested and assimilated that gives strength and vitality to the system. Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets invigorate the stomach and liver and enable them to perform their functions. The result is a relish for your food, increased strength and weight, greater endurance and a clear head. Price 25 cents. Samples free. For sale by Richard Gibson and W. F. Creighton & Co.

Badly Mixed Up.

Abraham Brown, of Winterton, N. Y., had a very remarkable experience; he says: "Doctors got badly mixed up over me; one said heart disease; two called it kidney trouble; the fourth, blood poison, and the fifth stomach and liver trouble; but none of them helped me; so my wife advised trying Electric Bitters, which are restoring me to perfect health. One bottle did me more good than all the five doctors prescribed." Guaranteed for blood poison, weakness and all stomach, liver and kidney complaints, by all druggists, fifty cents.

SPEED TESTS.

The record for electric locomotives was attained at Clayton, N. J., yesterday in the tests being made by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company. The electric engine No. 028, belonging to the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, and known as the Jamestown Exposition engine, made a fraction over ninety-two miles an hour. The locomotives weighs 180,000 pounds. The tests have been made largely to help the railroad officials determine how fast they may run trains with safety, particularly on curves. The officials say the tests have demonstrated that trains can be run with safety at the speed of ninety miles an hour. They have found that it takes three or four times longer to stop a train going at this speed than one going at sixty miles. It has also been demonstrated that the longer the air brakes are applied the less effective they become, because the tires on the wheels get hot and the brake shoes slip.

DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills afford quick relief for all forms of kidney and bladder trouble. A week's treatment 25c. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co.

You can save the expense of a Chiropodist, by letting your children wear the

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$2 and $2 50 Umbrellas $1. Tape edge American Taffeta Umbrellas, warranted rainproof and fast color, paragon frame, steel rod case and tassel. Wide variety of handles, worth $2 and $2.50, specially marked $1. 500 to select from

Children's 75c Umbrellas marked 50c.
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AUCTION SALES.

By Samuel H. Lunt, Auctioneer.

PURSUANT TO THE TERMS OF A deed of trust, dated the 28th day of October, 1905, and recorded among the land records of the County of Alexandria, Virginia, in deed book No. 112, given by Horatio C. Ashby et ux. to the undersigned, as trustee, and at the request of the party thereby secured, default having been made in the payment of said note, the undersigned trustee will offer for sale at public auction at the Royal street entrance to the Market building in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, on

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 14th 1907,

at 12 o'clock m., all those lots of ground situated in the County of Alexandria, Virginia, and described as follows:

1st: ALL THOSE LOTS OF GROUND, situate in that part of Alexandria County, Virginia, called "Clarendon," being lots numbered 168 and 169, on the plan of the said "Clarendon," surveyed for the Wood-Harmon Real Estate Association by L. T. Haney, County Surveyor, on March 31st 1910 and recorded in deed book No. 102, folio 138, et seq., of the land records of said County of Alexandria.

2nd: ALL THOSE LOTS OF GROUND known as and numbered 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15 in a certain plan of lots called "Del Ray," surveyed by D. J. Howell, Surveyor, as shown on the plat thereof, recorded among the land records in the office of the Clerk of Court for said County of Alexandria, in liber O, No 4, folio 440.

Terms of sale:—Cash.
Conveyancing at purchaser's cost.
M. B. HARLOW, trustee.
nov27 td

By R. F. Knox, auctioneer.

AUCTION SALE OF A DESIRABLE HOUSE AND LOT, IN THE CITY OF ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.

Pursuant to the terms of a deed of trust dated June 11, 1904, and duly recorded among the lands records of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, in Deed Book 52, page 59, given by Chloe A. Page to the undersigned, in trust to secure to the Mercantile Railway Building & Loan Association, of Alexandria, Virginia, the payment of a sum of money therein set forth, default having been made in the payment of said sum, and at the request and by the direction of the Board of Directors of the said Mercantile Railway Building & Loan Association, the undersigned will offer for sale, at public auction on the premises, at 12 o'clock, Noon, on

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1907,

all that lot of ground, with the buildings and improvements thereon, in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning on the east side of Pitt street 90 feet south of Wilkes street, and at the north line of a 10 feet alley, and running east with said alley and parallel with Wilkes street 60 feet to an alley 4 feet wide leading into said 10 feet alley; thence north with said 4 feet alley and parallel with Pitt street 15 feet; thence west parallel with Wilkes street; and thence south on Pitt street to the beginning, with the use of and right of way over said alleys in common with others entitled thereto.

Terms of sale: Cash. Conveyancing at the cost of the purchaser. A deposit of fifty dollars must be made by the purchaser on the day of sale, and the balance of the purchase money paid within then days thereafter.
THOMAS J. FANNON,
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RAILROADS.

SOUTHERN RAILWAY

Trains leave Union Station Alexandria.
In Effect December 8, 1907.

N. B—Following schedule figures published only as information, and are not guaranteed.

8:22 A. M.—Daily—Local for Warrenton, Danville and way stations.

8:22 A. M.—Daily—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations.

9:17 A. M.—Daily—U. S. Fast Mail. First class coaches and drawing room sleeper for New Orleans. Dining car service.

11:17 A.M. Daily—Washington and Florida limited. Sleeping cars between New York and Jacksonville. Through first-class coaches between Washington and Jacksonville. Dining car service between Washington and Columbia.

6:32 P. M.—Daily—New York and Atlanta Express—First class coach to Atlanta; sleeper to Atlanta, Ga. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays Sunset Route Tourist sleeper Washington to San Francisco.

4:22 P. M.—Week Days—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations on Manassas branch.

5:12 P. M.—Daily—Local for Warrenton and Charlottesville.

10:07 P. M., No. 33—Daily—New York and Augusta Express. Through coaches and sleepers to Charlotte, Columbia and Augusta. Sleeper to Aiken. Dining car service a la carte.

10:32 P. M.—Daily—Washington and Chattanooga Limited (via Lynchburg). Fine class coach and sleeping car to Roanoke Knoxville, Chattanooga and Memphis. Sleeper to Birmingham and New Orleans. Washington to Roanoke. Dining car service.

11:17 P. M.—Daily—New York and New Orleans Limited. All Pullman train, club and observation cars to New Orleans. Sleepers to Asheville, Atlanta, Birmingham and New Orleans. Dining car service.

Through trains from the South arrive at Alexandria 7:18, 8:28 and 8:48 A. M and 2:23, 5:08, 8:28, 11:13 and 11:23 P. M. daily. Harrisonburg 12:08 P. M. week days and 9:03 P M. daily. From Charlottesville 7:43 A. M.

TRAINS ON BLUEMONT BRANCH.

Leave Alexandria (W. & O. Station) 8:17 A M., 1:29, and 4:53 P. M. week days for Bluemont; 6:35 P. M. for Leesburg; 9:21 A M. and 5:12 P. M. on Sundays only for Bluemont.

For detailed schedule figures, tickets, Pullman reservation, etc., apply to
WILLIAM G. LEHEW, Union Ticket Agent, Alexandria, Va.
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W. H. TAYLOE, Gen. Passenger Agent.
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Washington, D. C.

Washington Southern Ry

Schedule in effect August 5, 1907.

Trains leave Union Station for Washington and points north at 8 03 and 9 58 a. m., 12 01 2 35, 7 55, 9 53, and 11 33 p. m., week days.

Sundays—9 58 a. m., 12 01, 9 28, 9 53 and 11 33 p. m.

For Fredericksburg, Richmond and points south at 4 36, 4 46, 9 21 and 11 31 a. m., 4:00 5 07 (local), and 6 16 p. m., week days.

Sundays—4 36, 7 07, 9 21 and 11 31 a. m. 4 00. 5 07 (local), and 6 16 p. m.

Accommodation for Fredericksburg at 9 37 a. m. week days.

NOTE:—Time of arrivals and departures and connections not guaranteed.

C. W. CULP, Gen'l Supt. W. P. TAYLOE, Traf. Mgr.

Washington, Alexandria & Mt. Vernon Railway.

LEAVE ALEXANDRIA

For Washington, from corner Prince and Royal streets, week days, at 5 45, 6 10, 6 20 6 35, 6 45, 7 00, 7 10, 7 20, 7 35, 7 50, 8 00 8 15, 8 20, 8 30, 8 50, 9 10, 9 30, 9 50, 10 10, 10 30, 10 50, 11 10, 11 25, 11 30, 11 50 a m., 12 10, 12 25, 12 30, 12 50, 1 10, 1 25, 1 30, 1 50, 2 10, 2 25, 2 30, 2 50, 3 10, 3 25, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 4 30, 4 35, 4 50, 5 10, 5 20, 5 35, 5 45, 6 00, 6 15, 6 30, 6 50 7 10, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 00, 9 30, 10 00, 10 30, 11 10 and 11 50 p. m.

Sundays—7 00, 8 10, 8 15, 9 00, 9 30, 10 10 10 45, 11 15 and 11 45 a. m., 12 15, 12 40, 1 05, 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00 4 20, 4 40, 5 00, 5 20, 5 40, 6 00, 6 30, 6 40, 7 00 7 20, 7 40, 8 00, 8 30, 9 00, 9 30, 10 00, 10 30 and 11 10 p. m.

FOR MOUNT VERNON.

Leave Alexandria for Mount Vernon, week days, 5 45, 6 52, 8 32, 10 25, 11 25 a. m., 12 52, 1 25, 2 25, 3 32, 4 36, 5 35, 7 05 and 8 46 p. m.

Sundays—7 00, 9 32, 10 41, 11 40 a. m., 12 40 1 40, 2 40 4 40, 4 47, 7 05, 8 46 and 10 16 p. m.

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